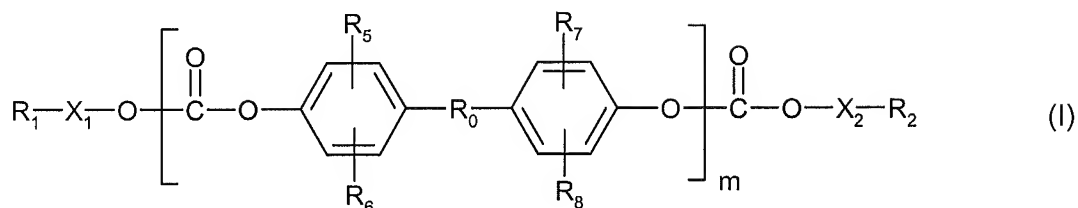
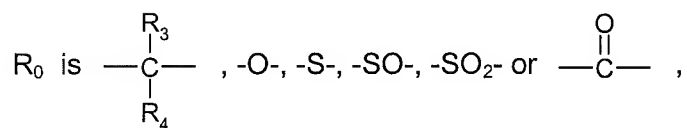


## Claims Listing

1. (currently amended) A compound of the formula I

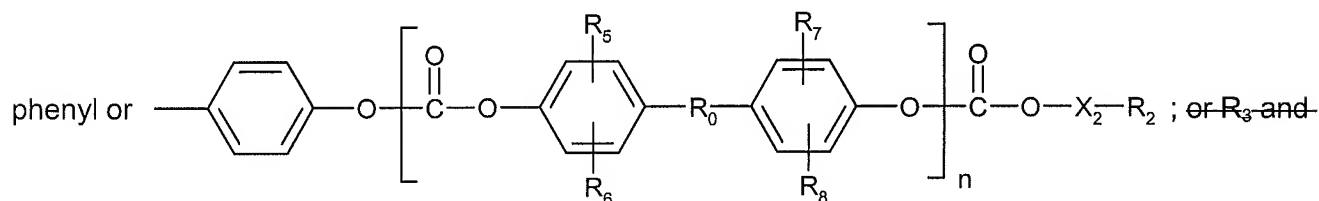


wherein



$R_1$  and  $R_2$  are each independently  $-(\text{CF}_2)_p\text{F}$ , wherein  $p$  is 4 to 15 of the other a fluorine containing group,

$R_3$  and  $R_4$  are each independently of the other hydrogen, a fluorine containing group,  $\text{C}_1$ - $\text{C}_{12}$ alkyl,



$R_4$ , together with the carbon atom to which they are bonded, form a  $\text{C}_5$ - $\text{C}_8$  cycloalkylidene ring that is unsubstituted or substituted by from 1 to 3  $\text{C}_1$ - $\text{C}_4$ alkyl groups[[:]]

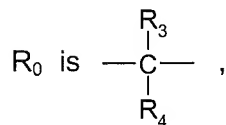
$R_5$ ,  $R_6$ ,  $R_7$  and  $R_8$  are each independently of the other hydrogen,  $\text{C}_1$ - $\text{C}_{12}$ alkyl or  $\text{C}_3$ - $\text{C}_{12}$ alkenyl,

$X_1$  and  $X_2$  are each independently of the other a direct bond or  $\text{C}_1$ - $\text{C}_{12}$ alkylene,

$m$  is 1 to 10'000, and

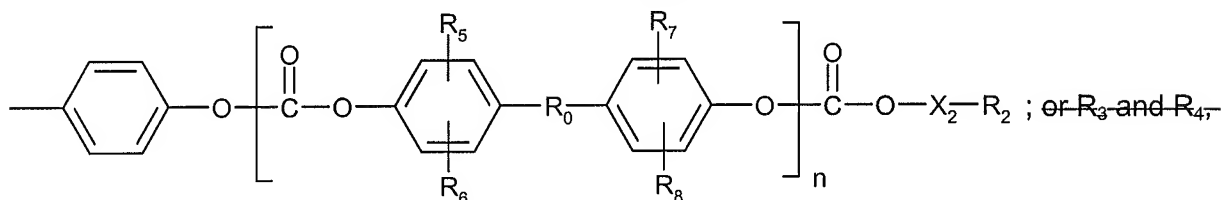
$n$  is 0 to 10'000.

2. (currently amended) A compound according to claim 1, wherein



~~R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> are each independently of the other a fluorine containing group[.].]~~

R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> are each independently of the other hydrogen, CF<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl, phenyl or



~~together with the carbon atom to which they are bonded, form a C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> cycloalkylidene ring that is unsubstituted or substituted by from 1 to 3 C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl groups[.].]~~

R<sub>5</sub>, R<sub>6</sub>, R<sub>7</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> are hydrogen,

X<sub>1</sub> and X<sub>2</sub> are each independently of the other C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkylene,

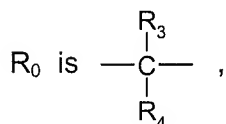
m is 1 to 10'000, and

n is 0 to 10'000.

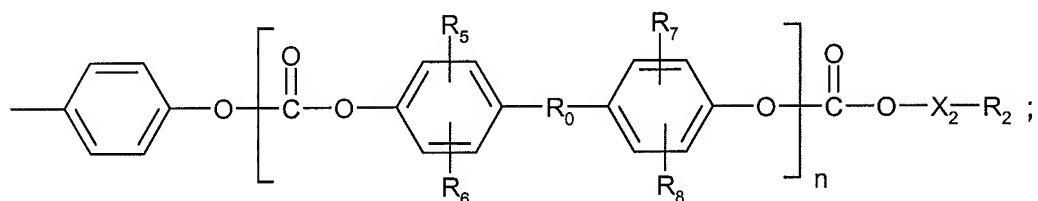
3. (canceled)

4. (canceled)

5. (currently amended) A compound according to claim 1, wherein



R<sub>3</sub> is hydrogen, CF<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl, phenyl or



R<sub>4</sub> is hydrogen, CF<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl or phenyl; ~~or R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub>, together with the carbon atom to which they are bonded, form a C<sub>5</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> cycloalkylidene ring that is unsubstituted or substituted by from 1 to 3 C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl groups[[:]]~~

R<sub>5</sub>, R<sub>6</sub>, R<sub>7</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> are hydrogen,

X<sub>1</sub> and X<sub>2</sub> are each independently of the other C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkylene,

m is 1 to 10'000, and

n is 0 to 10'000.

6. **(currently amended)** A compound according to claim 1, wherein R<sub>0</sub> is 
$$\begin{array}{c} \text{R}_3 \\ | \\ \text{---C---} \\ | \\ \text{R}_4 \end{array}$$
 and R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub>

~~are each independently of the other hydrogen or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl[[: ]]~~~~or R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub>, together with the carbon atom to which they are bonded, form a cyclohexylidene ring.~~

7. **(original)** A compound according to claim 1, wherein X<sub>1</sub> and X<sub>2</sub> are each independently of the other C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>alkylene.

8. **(original)** A compound according to claim 1, wherein m is 1 to 50, and n is 0 to 50.

9. **(currently amended)** A compound according to claim 1, wherein

R<sub>0</sub> is 
$$\begin{array}{c} \text{R}_3 \\ | \\ \text{---C---} \\ | \\ \text{R}_4 \end{array} ,$$

~~R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> are each independently of the other (CF<sub>2</sub>)<sub>p</sub>F[[:]]~~

~~R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> are each independently of the other C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl; or R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub>, together with the carbon atom to which they are bonded, form a cyclohexylidene ring[[:]]~~

R<sub>5</sub>, R<sub>6</sub>, R<sub>7</sub> and R<sub>8</sub> are hydrogen,

X<sub>1</sub> and X<sub>2</sub> are ethylene,

m is 2 to 50,

n is 0 to 50, and

p is 4 to 15.

**10. (original)** A composition comprising

- a) an organic material which is susceptible to oxidative, thermal or light-induced degradation, and
- b) at least one compound of the formula I according to claim 1.

**11. (original)** A composition according to claim 10 wherein component (a) is a synthetic polymer.

**12. (original)** A composition according to claim 10 wherein component (a) is a polycarbonate, polyester, polyacrylate or polymethacrylate or their mixtures, blends or alloys.

**13. (original)** A composition according to claim 10 wherein component (b) is present in an amount of from 0.1 to 20 %, based on the weight of component (a).

**14. (original)** A composition according to claim 10, comprising in addition, besides components (a) and (b), further additives.

**15. (original)** A composition according to claim 14, comprising as further additives phenolic antioxidants, light-stabilizers and/or processing stabilizers.

**16. (original)** A process for reducing the surface energy of organic materials which comprises incorporating therein or applying thereto a compound of the formula I according to claim 1.

**17. (canceled)**